

Listing of the Claims

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16. (new) A method of creating a flower display comprising the steps of:
- a) providing one or more fresh flowers,
 - b) providing an optical fiber lighting device that comprises a lighting device having a power source, a light source driven by the power source to emit light; and an array of optical fibers directly receiving light emitted by the light source,
 - c) incorporating the lighting device with the flowers to provide an illuminated wearable fresh flower display.
17. (new) A method according to claim 16 wherein the flower display is selected from the group consisting of a corsage, a wristlet, and a boutonniere.
18. (new) A method according to claim 16 wherein the light source is a light emitting diode.
19. (new) A method according to claim 16 wherein the optical fiber lighting device further comprises a switch to turn the light source off and on.
20. (new) A method according to claim 16 wherein the power source is at least one battery.
21. (new) A method according to claim 16 further comprising securing means to fasten the display to clothing.
22. (new) A method according to claim 16 wherein the device comprises a base that is incorporated with the flowers to form a corsage.

23. (new) A method according to claim 22 wherein the optical fibers of the device are among the flowers in the corsage.

24. (new) A method according to claim 23 wherein the light source is a light emitting diode.

25. (new) A method according to claim 24 wherein the optical fiber lighting device further comprises a switch to turn the light source off and on.

26. (new) A method according to claim 25 wherein the power source is at least one battery.

27. (new) A method according to claim 26 further comprising providing securing means to fasten the display to clothing.